

Financial Services Authority



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1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:	BAE Systems PLC	
2. Reason for notification (yes/no) BEST AVAILA	ABLE COPY	
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights		Yes
An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments whacquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights		
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights	PROCESSED	
Other (please specify):	NOV 2 0 2007	,
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:	THOMSON FINANCIAL Legal & General Grou	p Plc (L&G)
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):	Legal & General Assurance (Pensions Management) Limited (PMC)	
5. Date of the transaction (and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different):	17 October 2007	
6. Date on which issuer notified:	31 October 2007	
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:	From 3% - 4% (L&G)	

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8. Notified details:

Class/t ype of shares			Resulting situation after the triggering transaction				
if possible using the ISIN CODE	Number of Shares Number of Voting Rights	Number Number of voti of shares rights		of voting	g % of voting rights		
		3	Direct	Direct	Indirect	Direct	Indirect
Ord GBP 0.025	110,861,089	110,861,089	143,148,529	143,148,529		4.07	

B: Financial Instruments Resulting situation after the triggering transaction				
Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise/ Conversion Period/ Date	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights

Total (A+B)		
Number of voting rights	% of voting rights	
143,148,529	4.07	

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:

Legal & General Group Plc (Direct and Indirect) (Group)

Legal & General Investment Management (Holdings) Limited (LGIMH) (Direct and Indirect)

Legal & General Investment Management Limited (Indirect) (LGIM)

Legal & General Group Plc (Direct) (L&G) (143,148,529 – 4.07% = LGAS, LGPL & PMC)

Legal & General Investment Management (Holdings) Limited (Direct) (LGIMHD) (123,979,622 – 3.53% = PMC) Legal & General Insurance Holdings Limited (Direct) (LGIH)

Legal & General Assurance (Pensions Management) Limited (PMC) (123,979,622 – 3.53% = PMC) Legal & General Assurance Society Limited (LGAS & LGPL)

Legal & General Pensions Limited (Direct) (LGPL)

Proxy Voting:		
10. Name of the proxy holder:	N/A	
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:	N/A	
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:	N/A	

Notification using the total voting rights figure of 3,510,084,799

13. Additional information:

Please note this notification has been delayed due to the large number of disclosures required following a substantial amount of new business which has come to us in the form of an in-specie transfer.

14. Contact name:	Helen Lewis (LGIM)
15. Contact telephone number:	020 3124 3851

TOTAL VOTING RIGHTS – MONTH-END NOTIFICATION

As at 31 October 2007 BAE Systems plc:

- (i) had 3,573,770,424 issued ordinary shares of 2.5 pence each admitted to trading. Each ordinary share carries the right to one vote in relation to all circumstances at general meetings of ordinary shareholders of BAE Systems plc;
- (ii) held 61,945,000 ordinary shares in treasury. The voting rights of treasury shares are automatically suspended;
- (iii) accordingly, had total voting rights of 3,511,825,424.

The total voting rights figure (3,511,825,424) may be used by shareholders (and others with notification obligations) as the denominator for the calculations by which they will determine whether they are required to notify their interest in, or a change to their interest in, BAE Systems plc under the FSA's Disclosure and Transparency Rules.

31 October 2007

